

REMARKS

This response is submitted in reply to the *Ex Parte* Quayle Action mailed on July 11, 2007. Claims 1-13 are pending in the patent application. Claims 1, 11, 12 and 13 have been amended. No new matter has been added by this response. Reconsideration of this application and the objection of claims 1-13 are respectfully requested. Applicant has attempted to address every objection in the *Ex Parte* Quayle Action and believe the application is now in condition for allowance. The claims have been amended to more clearly describe the present invention. No new matter has been added by the response.

Claims 4 and 9-13 stand objected to under 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c) as having improper form because these claims include multiple dependent claims which depend upon other multiple dependent claims. Applicant filed a Preliminary Amendment on December 7, 2004, which included amendments to the claims which overcome this objection. Applicant therefore requests that the objection to claims 4 and 9-13 be withdrawn.

Claims 1-13 stand objected to because of informalities. Applicant has amended the claims to clarify the invention and correct the informalities. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that the objection to claims 1-13 as to the informalities be withdrawn.

It is submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance and an early Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited. In the event there are any remaining issues which may be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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